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In re Appln. of: **Anthony E. Tognetti, et al.**
 Appln. No.: **10/804,306**
 Filed: **March 19, 2004**
 For: **VEHICLE WEATHERSTRIP**

Examiner: **Gregory J. Strimbu**
 Art Unit: **3634**
 Attorney Docket No: **5709-169**

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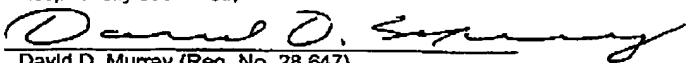
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

In response to the Office Action mailed January 25, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit this paper comprising the following parts:

- I. Listing of Claims, beginning on page 2;
- II. Remarks, beginning on page 6.

Applicants note that the Transmittal to which this paper is attached includes a Certificate under 37 C.F.R §1.8; and a fee statement calculating any fee(s) presently due in connection with the filing of this paper, along with an authorization to charge any fee deficiency to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

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